Sales and Use Tax - Motor Vehicles (Registration)

How do I register my vehicle in Colorado?

If you are a resident of Colorado and own or control the use of a motor vehicle in Colorado, you must title and register the vehicle in Colorado. A vehicle must be titled and registered within 45 days of the date of purchase.

New residents must title and register their vehicles within 30 days of establishing residency. For example, if you were a resident of California and purchased and registered your vehicle in California but have moved to Colorado you must register your vehicle in Colorado within the 30-day timeframe.

Application for titles, license plates and registration is done through the County Motor Vehicle office for the county in which you reside.